# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

## **FISCAL NOTE**



HB 1697 - SB 1881

February 20, 2014

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires cursive writing to be taught in all public schools such that students will be able to write in cursive by the end of the third grade.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **NOT SIGNIFICANT**

## Assumptions:

- The State Board of Education (SBE) will update existing curriculum standards to specifically include cursive writing in the normal course of SBE meetings.
- Based on information from the Department of Education, any increase in local expenditures to comply with the updated standards is estimated to be not significant.

## **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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